## JOINT RESOLUTION

OF THE

## LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,

IN FAVOR OF

A donation of land for the support of State asylums for the insane, and the blind, deaf, and dumb.

FEBRUARY 5, 1859.—Referred to the Committee on Public Lands, and ordered to be printed.

Resolved by the senate and house of representatives of the State of Michigan, That our senators in Congress be directed and our representatives requested to use their efforts in procuring the passage of a law granting to this State one hundred thousand acres of land, the proceeds of which, when sold, shall be set aside as a fund to be used exclusively in the erection of buildings and in the support and maintenance of the State asylum for the insane at Kalamazoo, and also for the asylum for the blind, deaf, and dumb at Flint.

Resolved, That the governor be requested to transmit to our senators and representatives in Congress a copy of the foregoing resolu-

tion, under the great seal of the State.

EDM. B. FAIRFIELD,

President of the Senate.

HENRY A. SHAW,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Approved January 26, 1859.

M. WISNER.

State of Michigan, Secretary's Office, ss.

I, Nelson G. Isbell, secretary of State of the State of Michigan, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of a joint resolution of the legislature of said State with the original now on file in this office, and that it is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of said State, at Lansing, this 27th day of Janu-

[SEAL.] great sear of sale ary, A. D. 1859.

N. G. ISBELL, Secretary of State.